## REFE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
ARTHUR W. JOHNSTON ET AL.	)
Serial No. 09/768,115	) Art Unit: 1724
Scriat No. 09/700,115	) Errominau Bauer Charles T
Filed: January 23, 2001	) Examiner: Barry, Chester T.
For: MICROBIOLOGICAL WATER FILTER	) )

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Mail Stop Amdt Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

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The above-identified applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Office Action dated March 19, 2004, to expire September 20, 2004. A check in the amount of \$475 is enclosed herewith to cover the fee for a three-month extension.

Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450, on September 20, 2004.

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